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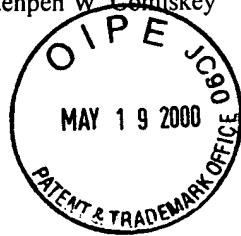


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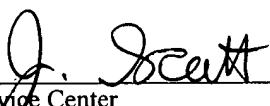
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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For: System and Method For Providing Financial Services to High Net Worth Individuals

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Sir:

Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed May 10, 2000, Applicants are submitting herewith an executed Declaration for filing in the cited patent application, along with the required fee for late filing of the Declaration. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that a filing date of March 8, 2000 be granted to this application.

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A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed for the fee for filing the Late Declaration.

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